

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

THE INDEPENDENT 50 cents per month.

Governor Dole is again in the role, of a sick man.

There were nineteen marriages and forty-six births reported during February.

The physicians report that there is but little dengue fever now extant in the city.

The "Advertiser's" good man, Taylor, is now wanted on a charge of embezzlement.

Elaborate arrangements are being made for the funeral obsequies of the late Prince Kuuiakia.

"Poobah" has gone to Maui and left his numerous duties and position here, unattended, pro tem.

The Board of Health met for a brief period of time yesterday, their first meeting during this month.

W A Bowen will speak this evening at the Y M C A hall at the meeting of the Life Problem Club.

The steamer Moana, from the Colonies, arrived here yesterday noon and sailed for British Columbia at 2:30 p m.

The usual destruction of life and property by rising rivers, freshets, etc, is now being telegraphed from towns in the Mainland.

M W McChesney & Sons now offer opportunity to purchase first quality family soap at \$2.25 per case of fifty pounds.

The Oahu Ice and Electric Co. desire a proper franchise to permit them to erect poles and wires and sell electric light and power.

The Siberia was expected to leave San Francisco yesterday for this port. She will carry about two hundred passengers, some of which are for here.

The ladies of the Methodist church met this morning, at 10 o'clock at the parsonage and considered matters relating to church benefit.

Janet Waldorf and Company will appear in the interesting and mirth provoking comedy drama of the "Lady of Ostend" tonight at the Opera House.

There will not be a band concert this evening but, the event will take place at Thomas square tomorrow, Friday evening, to honor the moon again getting full.

G Knust the owner of the Stevenson villa at S moa arrived here by the steamer Moana and will make a brief sojourn before proceeding onward to San Francisco.

The newly elected officers of the Honolulu Athletic club are, president, C F Chillingworth; secretary and treasurer, C J Cooper; trustee, W F Elving, P Gleason, V Fernandez, Jr.

Thomas square is being denuded of trees by order of the ubiquitous Superintendent of Public Works. This act of injudicious determination does not meet with public approval.

The Mutual Life Insurance Co, after long battling against a judgment, have at last been compelled to pay to the widow of Henri McGrew the sum of \$5,000 due on a policy.

W Ozen Smith, is expected to return as a passenger by the steamer Siberia. If any one can tell what benefit the taxpayers obtained, by his junket, it would be desirable information.

There is a disposition in the House to have the dangerous condition of the south-west corner of the Judiciary grounds improved, by having a light placed there for the benefit of the travelling public.

There will be a concert at the Capitol grounds tomorrow morning commencing at 9:30 o'clock. Berger is playing the legislators with dulcet measures to induce remembrance in the "Sweet Mahope."

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There will be a meeting of the Boardmen this evening at St. Anton's hall.

The new steamer Siberia is due here from San Francisco on the 18th, next Wednesday.

Work is to be immediately commenced, on the new extension of the Rapid Transit Co's line, out Kai muki way.

The new Chinese consul for this Territory to be located in Honolulu is expected to arrive by the Korea due next Friday from Yokohama.

The Alameda sailed yesterday for San Francisco with a full cargo of sugar, bananas etc, a large number of passengers and a heavy mail.

James Moore has been appointed to take the place of the late William Jarrett, deceased, as the foreman of the blacksmith and wharf shop of the Public Works.

There will be a presentation of a Chinese drama, by the members of the Anglo-Chinese dramatic society, of this city at the new Chinese theatre sometime next week.

The newly accredited Minister will arrive here in the Korea which vessel sailed on the 11th inst. from Yokohama for this port and is due here on the 20th instant.

Detective McDuff, who recovered a watch from one of the burning rooms at the Fort street hotel, fire, yesterday morning, has found the owner of the property and has delivered it to the lady.

A cablegram has been forwarded by Governor Dole to Secretary Shaw relative to the fact that the money appropriated by the Legislature for the expenses of a Fire Claims agent was at the disposal of the Department.

There were eighty-one deaths in Honolulu, during February, forty of the deceased being Hawaiians. Fifty were males and thirty-one females. The principal causes assigned were constitutional 17; respiratory or lung troubles 15; nervous 13, digestive organs 10.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Second Session of the Territorial Law Making Body of 1903.

THE SENATE—TWENTIETH DAY.

Proceeded to business on assembling. A tabulated statement, showing the receipts of each Island from different sources was received. Referred to Printing.

From the House, returns Senate Bill 6 as having passed.

Isenberg presented a petition that the Government acquire the water of the Kalkahi and Kahauwal springs, in Pauoa valley. Referred to a special committee. The Pauoa Water Works petition was sent to same committee.

Secretary Carter notified that Governor had signed Bill 6, relating to the Fire Claims.

Kaue presented a petition from residents of Wailuku, offering amendments to the County Bill. To County Bill.

The Printing Committee reported bills printed.

Baldwin, from Ways and Means, reported on Bill 38. This is the bill giving grocers the privilege to sell liquors. Reports that the retail sale of spirituous liquors should be kept separate and distinct from the grocery trade. Considered with bill. He also reported on Bill — to amend Section 1280, Civil Code, relating to pay of jurors. Recommends an amendment to the mileage and to pass the same. To be considered with bill and Appropriation Bill.

Cecil Brown, from Judiciary, on Bill, relating to the garnishee of Government employees, recommends passage. To be considered with bill. On Bill 75, relating to the redemption of property sold under foreclosure of mortgage; offered new bill. Passed first reading and to Printing. On Bill addition salaries of Circuit Judges, present salaries deemed inadequate

and recommends passage. To be considered with the bill. On bill to reorganize the Judiciary Department, recommends passage. To be considered with bill. Bill 69, relating to the exemption of certain personal property from attachment, etc., new bill, passed first reading and to print.

Second reading of the special Appropriation Bill for six months (\$2) was again resumed and unfinished when adjournment was taken.

THE HOUSE—TWENTIETH DAY.

Usual routine business disposed of. Naksleka offered a petition from the Leper Settlement praying an increase in pay allowance.

Lewis presented a report from Hilo citizens recommending certain appropriations for the needs of the Hilo Hospital.

Kupieha from Public Lands, reported on matters before it and making many recommendations. For consideration with the Appropriation Bill.

Kellinot, Agriculture and Manufactures, reported on the Harris resolution for \$40,000 for an exhibit to the St. Louis Exposition, unanimously recommending its insertion in the Appropriation Bill.

Kumalas moved to table for consideration with the resolution.

Chillingworth moved adoption, saying that, this was necessary, in order to help the country materially.

Paele objected, saying that with only \$3,500 Hawaii had had an educational exhibit at the Buffalo Exposition, and saw no reason why this large amount should be given.

Aylett supported the resolution strongly, saying that the money should be granted.

Knudsen also supported it, and in his remarks said that one of the leading firms here received a box of glass beads from Germany for distribution among the "savages of the Hawaiian Islands."

Kauiho strongly objected and moved indefinite postponement. He said no one member has yet shown what interest is to be gained other than "these glass beads." If beads, are all that we can get from former ventures, we might as well stop right now, the further disposal of public moneys, in the way now desired. Probably, the military would be sent there for making an exhibition and display of their "prowess."

Harris said he was a member of the exhibition committee of the Merchants' Association, and responsible for asking for this appropriation. All the States and Territories of the Union have made appropriations, and as well the Island possession. Porto Rico has given \$50,000 and the Philippines \$1,000,000 and he saw no reason why we should begrudge this paltry sum, in order to put up a decent building and make a worthy and presentable display of exhibits.

Kellinot wanted to explain why the beads came to Hawaii. Admitting that \$500 was all that was given for an educational exhibit at Buffalo, that was not sufficient to have a decent building, about 12x12. While there himself, he wasted two days in searching for the place, finally going to the Hawaiian village, where there were some Hawaiians, the interpreter being there, also, he was then shown the official exhibit. Those who got up the Hawaiian village spent about \$150,000, and why should we be so small in this very important matter. If we fail in making a presentable showing, to be in line with the other places, then beads alone, we shall get, and can't blame others.

On the motion to adopt being put, it was carried.

From the same committee, a report on Senate Bill 19, relating to horticulture and insects, recommending passage. To be considered with bill.

Kumalas, special committee on Pauoa Water Works, asked for more time. Granted.

On suspension of the rules, Andrade, for Judiciary, reported on the resolution relating to the subsidy of the Oahu Railway. To be considered with the Appropriation bill.

Recess taken as usual.

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